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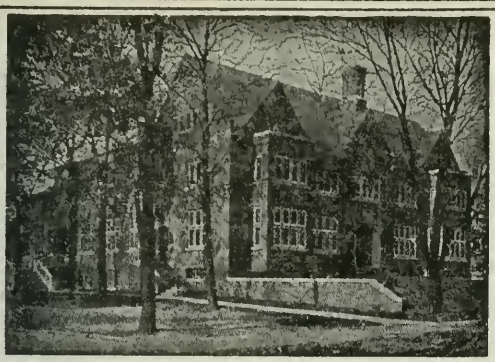

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Hamilton Evening Classes

An unusual sense of quietness, and confidence in the power of our heavenly Father to rule and overrule, possessed my mind for two full days before Thursday, November 27th, last. It was thus with a feeling of expectancy, and assurance that the Lord was about to do something amongst us that I joined with my fellow-members of the Hamilton Branch Executive of the Toronto Bible College Alumni Association on that Thursday evening. We held our meeting at the home of our secretary. It was an evening long to be remembered by all of us!

Discussion centred upon the various projects that an Alumni Branch is interested in, and business seemed to be proceeding in the usual routine way. Then someone asked a question, quite spontaneously. It proved to be a momentous question. "Has anyone ever thought of the possibility of our Branch initiating Evening Classes in Hamilton to be conducted by T.B.C.?" The idea caught fire;

one after another of our little group expressed keenest interest in it. We decided to follow it up, and to appoint various persons to find out what response might be expected in Hamilton itself, and what would be the reaction of our T.B.C. Board and Faculty to the proposal. We went forward towards this new project in the spirit of prayer, seeking the Lord's leading every step of the way. And we found that in each move that we made the Lord had been before us, preparing the way.

Here in Hamilton Sunday School Crusade, the local Council of Churches, the Youth for Christ, and leaders of the I.V.C.F. were all approached. We found that young people from many denominations were asking for something like these proposed classes. We were encouraged to start them after the New Year rather than to wait until next Fall. Some Churches that had programmes already in operation told us that while they could not rearrange their weekly schedule at present, they would do so before the Fall, so that their young people also might avail themselves of these classes. In all, we made contact with 114 ministers and their Sunday School Superintendents. Quite often we heard a comment like this: "The teaching of Toronto Bible College has always been sound and sane. It doesn't go off on tangents."

We made known our suggested project to our T.B.C. staff and found that both they and the members of the Board were ready to co-operate with us. As members of the Hamilton Executive we felt that it was for such a purpose as this that our Alumni Branch had come to the present hour. Through the years we had been gathering strength and building up our numbers and now we felt that, the Lord enabling us, we were ready to initiate College extension work in our own community. We have 125 Alumni members in the Greater Hamilton area, of whom no fewer than 17 are ministers in 5 denominations.

Registrations came in after the first advertisement was inserted in the Saturday edition of the Hamilton papers. By the time that the opening night arrived, Monday, January 26th, no fewer than 65 persons had signified their intention of taking the classes. And when we met for the first regular classes a week later, registrations had mounted to 80! Represented are 26 churches and 9 denominations. It is surely the Lord's doing, and we praise Him for it.

These have been busy weeks for our members, for much of the work of preparation had to be done during the Christmas season. We have been constantly on our knees, seeking from God's Spirit the assurance of His Presence and His leading in everything. And the way in which all arrangements have been made has convinced us that the Lord has continually gone before us. We realized afresh the reality of one of our mottos from T.B.C. days, "He goeth before." And we were made conscious each day, "This is the way, walk ye in it."

Now that the Hamilton Evening Classes have become an actuality our testimony is that the Lord has done great things for us. We recognize His hand in it all, and we desire to give to Him all the praise. Our prayer is that through these classes many young people may be stablished in the faith, enabled more effectively to witness a good confession, and be led out into the regions beyond to make known the unsearchable riches of God's grace.

A Member of the Hamilton Group.

"Lectures at the Hamilton classes are given by Dr. McNicol and Dr. Rhodes on alternate weeks, and by Mr. Raymer and Mr. Percy every week, thus providing 3 forty minute classes each Monday evening. We have had to move to another hall to accommodate increasing numbers.

The Missionary Impact of T.B.C. Training

The most convincing evidence of the missionary impact of Toronto Bible College training is to let this training speak for itself in the witness of our graduates. To that end we are presenting the personal testimony of a number of T.B.C. graduates who are well-known in inter-denominational missionary circles. One is the founder of The People's Missionary Society, Dr. Oswald J. Smith, who, humanly speaking, is probably responsible for raising larger sums of money for the missionary advance of the Christian Church than any contemporary minister. Not only does his own congregation now contribute more than $200,000 annually to missions, but he himself devotes no little time and energy to conducting missionary campaigns by invitation in churches across the American continent.

The other testimonies are from graduates who, after service with one exception on overseas fields, now occupy executive positions in the home offices of their respective missionary societies. They are able to view T.B.C.'s impact upon missions from the vantage-point of the mission secretary whose responsibilities require him to take an over-all view of the missionary campaign, and who can assess the work of the individual missionary and station in the light of the total programme that is planned.

Dr. Oswald J. Smith '12

PASTOR, THE PEOPLES CHURCH, TORONTO

DR. OSWALD J. SMITH, '12

It was at the Toronto Bible College that I got my first missionary vision. Each week someone from the foreign field addressed our meeting and as a result a great burden came upon me for the unevangelized tribes of earth. During all the years that have followed I have never lost that first missionary vision, for it has resulted in an entire life being given over to world-evangelization.

Even though I have not been able to go myself, for the Board turned down my application, yet I have been able by the grace of God to do something toward sending others. God has graciously permitted me to raise a little, at least, in the missionary conventions I have held for the support of a number of workers in foreign fields.

For much of this I am indebted to the vision I received while a student in the Toronto Bible College. It was at the Bible College I learned that the supreme task of the church is the evangelization of the world, and that the mission of the church is Missions. That is why I have taken as my motto the slogan: "Why should anyone hear the Gospel twice before everyone has heard it once?"

REV. R. B. OLIVER, '22
Secy. S. I. M., Toronto

What the mission fields of Africa need today is a host of consecrated young men and women ready and eager to respond to the needs of that vast continent's unevangelized millions. No matter how high the degree of consecration and eagerness, however, the young person is largely valueless unless he or she has had a definite period of training and preparation for the missionary task.

As the Secretary of a Society having over one thousand missionaries in Africa, I know of nothing that can take the place of a thorough training in the English Bible. Such a training, with all the additional allied subjects as taught in a Bible School, is absolutely essential for success in foreign missionary work. Hundreds of graduates of the Toronto Bible College serving on the mission fields of the world will endorse this and looking back will thank God for the years spent within its sacred walls.

REV. JOHN RUSSELL, '39
Canadian Secretary,
Sudan United Mission

A world-wide programme needs men and women with a world-wide vision. The more thoroughly conversant we are with the Bible the greater will be our interest in the whole world for which Christ died.

When we apply Bible principles in seeking to live for God and others our horizons are broadened to include the peoples of every tribe and nation.

After an experience of salvation young people's hearts are awakened to the needs of others as never before. Theirs is the privilege of carrying the good news to the uttermost ends of the earth but they need guidance and leadership. They need to know and understand thoroughly what that good news is. It is one thing to experience the work of saving grace. It is another thing to try to explain it. I found this so in my own life.

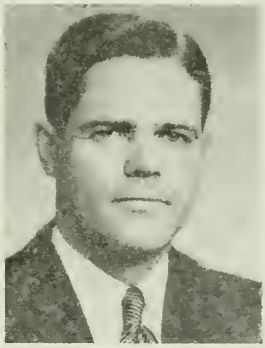
In my early days I knew I had a message for perishing souls. My own heart was flooded with the joy of the Lord. I was anxious that others might know it too, but I needed guidance in the study of God's Word in order that I might teach others. Then I was wisely counselled. This led to my enrolment in Toronto Bible College.

The choice of the school for theological training will largely determine the future usefulness of the student. My choice is one for which I have always thanked God. After entering T.B.C. my prayer life was deepened, capacity for spiritual truths was enlarged, and my determination to live for God and others was encouraged.

Today my love for Bible study, my vision of a lost and needy world, and any useful service in which I find myself engaged can be largely credited to those hallowed years I spent in T.B.C. where godly instructors opened to me some of the mysteries of grace. As I recall those blessed experiences I am realizing more and more what it means to be thoroughly grounded in the Word of Life.

It pays to send young people to a truly fundamental Bible College. Toronto Bible College is the one I know and love best. There a world vision is presented to the whole student body so that young people may have the opportunity of dedicating their lives in the greatest vocation on earth, that of learning the Scriptures so that they in turn may properly explain God's wonderful plan of salvation to others.

John Russell.



REV. WILLIAM W. TYLER, '36
Secretary Treasurer,
China Inland Mission, Toronto

Looking back seventeen years to the time spent at Toronto Bible College there are two things which stand out in my memory, the comprehensive Bible teaching and the practical training.

In the Bible teaching the Unity of the Word, revealing the Living Word, was constantly emphasized, and has been a stabilizing force throughout the years.

In the practical field there was ample scope for various types of experience due to the fact that the College is located in a large city. Within the College the leadership training which is given through student government is invaluable. Opportunity in this is afforded to many through the large number of executives and to a few in the student cabinet. Here one learns, in a practical way, the leadership of the Holy Spirit, and experiences His power to bring about unity in decision.

This training is vital to every phase of missionary life, whether that be in co-operation with the national church, relation to fellow missionaries or in executive work at the home base.

Thus it is with profound gratitude to God that one looks back to the time spent at Toronto Bible College.

REV. J. O. PERCY, '37
Secretary,
Sudan Interior Mission,
New York

The late John Buchan wrote in "Men and Deeds," "there will be . . . the power of enduring when hope has gone . . . the power of taking on a desperate responsibility . . . self-forgetfulness . . . a willingness to let all worldly interests . . . perish if only the task be accomplished." To prepare God's people for such a purpose in life has always been the programme of T.B.C. Looking back on 20 years since leaving T.B.C. we can say, from the depths of our hearts, that the truths upheld and taught at T.B.C. and especially the Person, Work and Place of the Holy Spirit in the individual heart, have prepared us to assume the "desperate responsibility" that the task might be accomplished. Here was given a burden for lost men, the truth that without the Lord Jesus Christ all are doomed, and here was given the impetus to go to the ends of the earth with that life-giving message. Thank God for T.B.C. and its unique place in Christian education as it continues to prepare men to endure all things for Christ's sake.

TORONTO BIBLE COLLEGE insists on consistently keeping foreign missions before the students. Perhaps only a few Christian training institutions have such an "operation saturation" of missionary emphasis.

REV. DOUGLAS C. PERCY, '36
Editorial Secretary,
Sudan Interior Mission

The faculty and staff have an unusual background of missionary experience, vision, sympathy and interest. This, plus a concentrated missions course, undoubtedly helps to account for the high rate of missionary emphasis at T.B.C.

To feed the interest, missionaries speak at meetings twice and often three or four times each week. Daily prayer meetings, mission literature, missionary library, missionary conferences, et al, share in fostering missionary interest, feeding missionary appetites, and equipping the many who go out each year, into the regions beyond.

On the broader scale, the T.B.C. interdenominational fellowship, its student self-government, and the emphasis on the leadership of the Holy Spirit, all provide finer equipment and more complete training for the missionary who must work in a strange land, speak in a foreign tongue, and find fellowship in service with others of "like precious faith," whatever the denominational tag. As a missionary, I thank God for what T.B.C. is—

in all reality, a missionary—training—College.

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T.B.C. Annual Missionary Conference

Walter Beacham, '53, Leader, Students' Missionary Society.

The annual Missionary Conference sponsored by the Student Missionary Committee was held during the week of February 10th to 14th. It is during this period of concentrated missions that the students become conscious of the privilege and responsibility entailed in fulfilling our Lord's imperative: "Go ye into all the world and preach the Gospel to every creature."

In thinking of this Conference we find it falls into three categories. It is—

THE Missionary Conference

Most of the students are drawn of the Lord to T.B.C., desiring to know Him and His Word better, and also to make Him known. But where shall they go?

Jesus told the disciples to remain in Jerusalem until the Holy Spirit came upon them. Then He added, "Ye shall receive power after that the Holy Ghost is come upon you, and ye shall be witnesses unto me."

T.B.C. is the Jerusalem, the waiting place, the quiet place of preparation. Then it is at times like the Conference, that He gives them power to see the field and the power to choose, the power to go. In this regard, this gathering is THE Conference for willing young people. They see, they respond, they go, as He enables. It is—

The MISSIONARY Conference

There is no mistaking the intent of these meetings. The great but uncompleted task of the church is to carry the Gospel into all the world. Statistically, as was so powerfully pointed out by Mr. Peter Letchford of the S.A.G.M., the need is tremendous, and the call is for men and women to go on a mission of Life and Light. It is—

The Missionary CONFERENCE

Here was a coming together of missionaries and students, to gather facts and figures, vision and inspiration; the asking and answering of questions; all the seeking and probing necessary to know.

This was emphasized by the fifteen missions represented during the week. The world need, presented by Mr. P. Letchford of the S.A.G.M., set the theme for the Conference. The S.I.M. film "Speed the Light" graphically showed what could be done. Miss Irene Boyd of the West Indies Mission, told what was being done. The Moslem World with its teeming millions was seen in skit, pictures and words arranged by Rev. R. Joyce of the Egypt General Mission.

India and the Orient were vividly seen and heard as a national Indian, Rev. A. B. Masilamani, and the Rev. E. L. Quirk of the Canadian Baptist Foreign Mission Board spoke, and the C.I.M. showed a film.

The final meeting, with inspiration and dedication, sealed the week of Conference, messages and pictures, as God laid hold of His own young people who said with a united voice, "Here am I, SEND ME!"

All this, saturated with prayer and watered of God, may be summed up thus: Yes, the Annual Missionary Conference with all its inspiration, vision and blessing will mean that the tide of life and witness that has gone into the regions beyond from T.B.C. will be increased by those this year to whom this was indeed—

THE MISSIONARY CONFERENCE

The Ministry of Gospel Music

Our T.B.C. Choir on Tour

For the first time in several years the College Evangelistic Choir has gone far afield in its ministry of gospel music. On the last week-end in January the Choir visited Kingston and Belleville, accompanied by our Director of Music, Mr. Ernest Shildrick and Mrs. Shildrick, and also by Miss Eria Robinson, who is a graduate of Queen's University. Not only were testimonies given by the students but the Sunday messages were brought by them also. From both cities kindly appreciation of the week-end's ministry has been forwarded to the College.

A tour of Western Ontario has been planned for the early part of March. Leaving the College on Saturday, March 7th, the Choir will sing in Kitchener-Waterloo on that evening; in St. Jacob's on Sunday morning and in Brantford on Sunday evening. Monday will see the group in Woodstock, Tuesday in Stratford, Wednesday in Paris, Thursday in Blenheim, and Friday in Leamington. On Saturday morning it is hoped to pay a visit to the late Jack Miner's home and bird sanctuary, arriving in St. Thomas in time for an evening engagement. On Sunday, March 15th, the Choir will conclude its tour appointment, singing in St. Thomas in the morning, taking part in a radio programme in the afternoon, and singing in London in the evening.

The details of this tour have been worked out by our Alumni Secretary, Rev. D. E. Raymer, in consultation with our Alumni members in the various places to be visited. The Choir tour is really under Alumni sponsorship. Without their hearty interest and invaluable co-operation we should have hesitated to go forward with it. Mr. Raymer will accompany the Choir as Tour Director, and Miss Helen Bruce, student leader, will direct the Choir.

Towards the close of March the T.B.C. Choir will go east again this time as far as Ottawa and Montreal. The week-end of March 28th, 29th, will be spent in these cities, the arrangements again in the hands of our Alumni. Full details of the services to be conducted will be published in the local papers. Members of the staff will accompany Mr. Raymer, to assist in filling preaching engagements, and Mr. Shildrick, it is hoped, will have personal supervision of the Choir.

It is just possible that the Choir may also visit Hamilton this session, at the close of the first term in evening classes there. No definite plans, however, have been made as yet.

We would bespeak the prayers of all our readers for the College Choir and its director, and for the ministry of gospel music. After this full schedule has been completed, there remains the witness of the Graduation Service in Varsity Arena. It is our desire at T.B.C. that always and in every place the ministry of gospel music may redound to the glory of God and be used of His Spirit to the salvation of souls.

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Alumni Branch Roll Call

Activity amongst the Alumni Branches during the current year has been sustained and intensified. One new Branch has been formed in Owen Sound. Others have reported change of executives from time to time.

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OPPORTUNITIES AVAILABLE THROUGH THE CHRISTIAN WORKERS' BUREAU

It is some time since the Christian Workers' Bureau has been brought to the attention of our Alumni. We are glad to report that satisfactory arrangements between seeking employers and employees have been completed with the result that a number of our graduates have found themselves in Christian work. At this time there are opportunities for service in positions in the fields of Jewish work, in Sunday School by mail in Western Canada, as companion in a home, as Cook-Manager for a Christian Institution. From time to time requests are coming to us that provide opportunities for Christian service. If you are interested, send your application to the Alumni Secretary.

T. B. C.
ALUMNI PICNIC

This year Toronto Bible College General Alumni Executive is planning for a regional Alumni Picnic in conjunction with the Kitchener-Waterloo Alumni Branch. Alumni and friends are invited to join us.

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News of the T.B.C. Family

PERSONALS

Rev. George Williams, '13, has been given the honorary degree of Doctor of Divinity by Emmanuel College. After graduating from T.B.C. he was sent as a missionary to Formosa by the Presbyterian Church but had to return for reasons of health. He has been for many years the Field Secretary of the Missionary and Maintenance Fund of the United Church.

Rev. Joseph, '26, and Mrs. (Violet Hancox, '30) Taylor, have begun new pastoral duties at Tiverton.

Ivey Estall, '30, returned in January to her work in India with the Zenana Bible and Medical Mission.

Mrs. John Burgess (Mary Laing Allison, '31) returned in February to her work in the Belgian Congo with the Worldwide Evangelization Crusade.

Rev. James, '31, and Mrs. (Nellie Poole, '31) Hutchinson are on furlough in the United States from their work in Europe with the Bible Club Movement.

Margaret Halliday, '31, returned in August to work in Kenya Colony with the Africa Inland Mission.

Nellie Horne, '33, returned in January, 1952, to her work in Brazil with the Evangelical Union of South America.

Mrs. Leonard Geary (Margaret Murray, '34) is on furlough from Egypt.

Joan Howell, '36, has returned to Dominica, British West Indies with the Worldwide Evangelization Crusade.

Rev. Frank Swackhammer, '37, began pastoral work in February at Temple Baptist Church.

Edna Pridham, '35-'38, returned in February to her work in Nigeria with the United Missionary Society.

Pastor Stanley Medhurst, '39, has returned from the United States to serve the Scotland and Birch Baptist Churches.

Rev. Ward W. Shelly, '39, pastor of the Bethel Mennonite Church in Lancaster, has been elected President of the Eastern District Conference of the General Conference Mennonite Church at its 154th session held in Quakertown, Pennsylvania.

Rev. Norman Rutter (E.C., '39-'40) is serving the Regular Baptist Church at Otego, New York.

Grace Wilson, '41, returned in December to her work in Angola with the South Africa General Mission.

Mr. Clifford and Mrs. (Ingeborg Kolbenson, '40-'41) McComb are working with the Northern Canada Evangelical Mission among the Indians in Northern Ontario.

Rev. Harry, '41, and Mrs. (Dorothy Ford, E.C., '38) Butler are serving the Briscoe Street Baptist Church in London.

Charlotte Reid, '43, is on furlough from Jamaica, British West Indies, where she has been serving the United Brethren in Christ.

Rev. Paul Beech, '43, and Stuart Dixon, '43, are studying at Cornell University, Ithaca, New York.

Capt. Alice Bailey, '44, of the Salvation Army, has been transferred to Arnprior.

Rev. Wilfred and Mrs. (Elvie Engstrom, '45) Bauman are ministering at Grace Baptist Church in North Bay.

Doreen Barrie, '45, is returning to her work in French Equatorial Africa under the Sudan United Mission, by way of Paris where she is spending a few months studying French.

Mr. Cyril and Mrs. (Doris Leonard, '45) Weller sailed in February to take up work in the Philippines with the Overseas Missionary Fellowship (C.I.M.).

Paul Burns, '46, is serving the Lanark circuit of Baptist Churches and continuing his studies at Queen's University. Rev. D. A. Burns, '16, gave the message at the Induction Service the latter part of February.

Margaret Sams, '47, has begun work in India with the Canadian Baptist Foreign Mission Board.

Jo Stevens, '49, left in February for France where she will spend a few months in language study, preparatory to French newspaper work in Nigeria with the Sudan Interior Mission.

Rev. Ernest, '50, and Mrs. (Marion Slighte, E.C., '49) Nullmeyer have accepted a call to the Collier Street Baptist Church of Barrie.

Mr. Harry, '51, and Mrs. (Una, '48-'50) Edwards are pastoring the Independent Baptist Church at Scotland.

Dorothy Thorp, '51, left in February to begin work in Japan with the Central Japan Pioneer Mission.

Thelma Atkinson, '51, has been appointed Deaconess of Wesley United Church, Prince Albert, Saskatchewan.

Mr. Murray, '52, and Mrs. (Evelyn, '50-'51) Richardson are serving the Baptist Church at Tiverton, while studying at McMaster University.

Josephine Rogers, '52, is studying French in Paris, preparatory to work in French West Africa with the Sudan Interior Mission.

Mr. Paul, '51-'52, and Mrs. (Frances Oliver, '53) Wilson sailed in December to take up work in Nigeria with the Sudan Interior Mission.

Olive Weaver, '51-'52, has returned to her work in Sierre Leone with the United Brethren in Christ.

BIRTHS

To Mr. Ellis and Mrs. (Edna Thompson, '39) Lageer, a son, Warren Ellis, on January 27, 1952.

To Rev. Clair and Mrs. (Mary Jamieson, '45) Clark, on May 29, a daughter, Jane.

In Colombia, South America, on September 8, to Mr. Ralph, '35, and Mrs. Hines, a son, Ralph Jonathan.

On September 16, at Collingwood, to Dr. Donald, '43, and Mrs. (Grace Matheson, '44) Elliott, a son, Peter Matheson.

At Goodrich, Michigan, on September 20, to Dr. Frederick and Mrs. (Dulcie Bell, '46) Swartzendruber, a son, Galen Paul.

On September 30, to Mr. John E.C., '51, and Mrs. (Isobel McIntosh E.C., '51) Fryer, a daughter, Anne Grace.

To Rev. Alvin and Mrs. (Marion Barr, '42) Porteous, at Staten Island, New York, a daughter, Sharon Ruth, on October 7.

On November 4, at Oshawa, to Rev. James, '44, and Mrs. Green, a son, David Alfred.

To Rev. William, '49, and Mrs. (Ruth Falconbridge, '49) Crump, on November 12, a daughter, Janice Ruth.

A daughter, Esther Lois, on November 12, at Sault Ste Marie, to Mr. William, '36-'39, and Mrs. (Rose Andrews, '39) Wills.

To Mr. Walter, '49, and Mrs. (Florence Chellew, '46-'47) Cruickshank, on November 19, a son, Paul Arthur.

To Mr. Gerald, '49-'51, and Mrs. (Joy Bond, '50-'51) Coyle, on November 27, a daughter, Deborah Gay.

On January 16, to Rev. C. Alvin, '35, and Mrs. Armstrong, a daughter, Judith Anne Louise.

To Rev. J. K. and Mrs. (Lillian, '51-'52) Zeman, on January 17, a daughter, Miriam Ruth.

A son, John William, on January 27, to Mr. John, '43, and Mrs. (Helen Drake, '42) Culp.

On February 5, to Mr. James, '46-'48, and Mrs. (Violet Gibson, '45-'48) Mullin, a daughter, Margaret Zene.

To Rev. Paul, '39, and Mrs. (Nan Ogle, '41-'42) Morris, at Strasbourg, Saskatchewan, on February 3, a son, Lawrence Wilson.

MARRIAGES

Patricia Hamilton, '51, to Ronald Patterson, '52, in West Ferry Bible Baptist Church, Buffalo, on December 20. Rev. Larry Guillermin, '38, officiated.

Edna Turmon to George Boyce, '48-'52, on November 22.

In Guelph, on December 6, Betty Stevenson, '50-'52, to Howard Hellewell, '50-'51.

Dorothy Holden, '33, to Milton Hutchinson in Toronto, on January 17.

Norma Falconbridge, '50, to Joseph Lambshead in Calvary Gospel Church, on February 21. Mrs. William Crump (Ruth Falconbridge, '49) was matron-of-honour and Agnes Gaverluk, '47, sang. Rev. William Crump, '49, and Rev. Harold Lambshead, '39, assisted in the ceremony.

DEATHS

Mrs. Donald Keith (Maria Pardi, '41) at Montreal, on January 21.

Mrs. Howard Brechin (Katie Richards, 1900), in Toronto, on February 10.

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